# BEAVERS' SHOWING IS LEAGUE FEATURE

This Week's Series Against Los Angeles Is Expected to Give Real Acid Test.

Hollocher's Batting Spurt Justifies Predictions and Denny Wille Also on Star List Despite Some Errors.

Pacific Coast League Standings. W. L. P.C. W. L. P.C. Pranc'o 63 48 568 Portland ... 51 52 495 Angeles 57 51 528 Qakland ... 53 57 482 Lake ... 54 49 524 Vernon ... 44 65 404

BY ROSCOE FAWCETT. Portland's fine showing has been the feature of the Pacific Coast League feature of the Pacific Coast League race during the past fortnight. From a poor fifth-place club the Beavers have risen to fourth and are pressing dangerously near the first division.

The race isn't over, by any means. Los Angeles appears to have the strongest club at this writing, both Portland and the Angels having trimmed the Seals since Welverton got the "gate." This week's series between Portland and Los Angeles will give the

Portland and Los Angeles will give the Beavers a sort of acid test. If they really have the goods this series ought o go a long way toward demonstrat-

Young Hollocher's hitting and the superb twirling of Byron Houck have been the main contributing factors in the Beavers' spurt. Houck lost his first five starts in the Spring and the Beavers had no really dependable twirler except Penner at that stage of the factor of the Spring and the better of Schupp in a pitchers' battle, and is only the William of the Spring and the Spring and the stage of the Spring and the stage of the Spring and the Houck's "Spitball" Wins.

Byron has added a "spitball" to his ertoire and his spitter seems to fool repertoire and his spitter seems to fool all the heavy artillerists.

Hollocher's batting spurt proves the contentions of Bill Rodgers, Gus Fisher and others of the old heads on the Portland club, namely, that the young shortstop is sure to develop into a real swatter. He meets the ball squarely and hits it hard for an athlete of comparatively small physique.

Dave Bancroft hit only .213 his first year with Portland in the Coast League in 1912 and he was then one year older than Hollocher is now. Yet Holly is

than Hollocher is now. Yet Holly is batting ,271, fielding almost as sensa-tionally and running bases with better judgment than Bancroft ever did on ie Coast. Denny Wille is another Beaver who

has been playing fine ball, although Denny marred his brilliant pastiming by wobbly fielding in his last two or three games of the Vernon series. Wilie has been hitting well all season and doing everything else that could be asked of him. The switch from right

Farmer came through with a couple in check. Score: Farmer came through with a couple of pinch hits during the home sojourn of the club and it might be well for Manager McCredie to shoot Farmer back into the regular lineup at the least sign of staleness on the part of Killifer. any of the present trio.

Pinelli Favorite With Fans. ness and fine fighting spirit have made him a prime favorite with the fans.

"Red" Baldwin behind the bat doesn't seem to be able to hit a lick. He is a R H E:

R H E

strengthened much by releasing O'Brien and Sepulveda. Oakland came to life Sunday and the double win gave Del Howard's boys the series from the strong Salt Lake club, four games to three. Krause is pitching fine ball for the Oaks and with the added offensive power sure to follow the addition of Rube Gardner and Bill Stumpf, the Oaklets will be harder to creek from powers.

crack from now on. Stumpf led the Northwestern League

LEAGUERS ARE NOT IN DRAFT

Houck, Pinelli and "Lefty" James Not Subject to First Call.

Three of the Portland Coast Leaguers ot hit by the draft—Byron Ralph Pinelli and "Lefty" James. Houck registered in Portland and his name did not appear in the published lists. Pineth's home is at San Francisco and a telegram received by the youngster shortly before train time Sunday night informed Ralph that are awaiting news from their homes,

FLY-CASTING TYRO SURPRISES

In Anglers' Club Tourney Jack Herman Casts 174 Feet.

Casting 174 feet, Jack Herman caused the anglers at the Multnomah Anglers' Club casting tournament Sunday to check up in surprise. As Herman is a novice this mark is considered unusual. The honors of the day were carried off by W. C. Block and W. F. Backus.

day's results were: Distance fly casting, heavy rod-J C. Myers, 115 feet; W. F. Backus, 10



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feet; W. C. Block, 161 feet; O. H. Reed, 92 feet. Distance balt casting, three-fourth unce—W. C. Block, 158 feet; W. F. ackus, 134 feet; A. E. Burghduff, 132

Distance bait casting, three-fourth ounce, novice—A. T. Gribble, 112 feet; Jack Herman, 196 feet.

Longest individual distance cast—W. C. Block, 181 feet; novice, Jack Herman, 174 feet.

Accuracy bait casting, three-fourth ounce—J. C. Myers, 21 demerits; W. F. Backus, 23 demerits; W. C. Block, 25 demerits; A. E. Burghduff, 26 demerits.

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"DUTCH" LEONARD IS DRAFTED

players to Army.

FRESNO, Cal., July 23 .- Five prominent baseball players with homes in this city were drawn in the Army draft, it was learned nere today. The players are: Hubert ("Dutch") Leonard, the Boston American pitcher of world's series fame; Clarence Brooks, former catcher for the Los Angeles and San Francisco Coast League teams; Clifford McCarl, former San Francisco first baseman, now manager of the Butte, Mont., team; Howard Mundorff, former San Francisco outfielder, and Joe Jenkins, former Chicago American player. Brooks is now in the Texas League Leonard was married two weeks ago in Boston to Miss Muriel Worth, a vaude-

## PIRATES BLANK GIANTS

COOPER, OUT-PITCHING SCHUPP, ALLOWS BUT SIX HITS.

Reds Take Four Straight From Dodgers-Cards Drub Phils-Braves Beat Cubs in 13th Frame.

the race, Houck has now won six in a third pitcher to shut out the Giants row, all low-hit contests, giving him eight victories in his last 10 games. this season. Cooper also sent in the only run of the game with a two-base only run of the game with a two-base hit in the eighth inning. Score: RHE RHL

Pittsburg. 1 7 0 New York. 0 6 2
Batteries—Cooper and W. Wagner;
Schupp and Gibson.

Brooklyn 2, Cincinnati 5.

BROOKLYN, July 23.-Cincinnati made it four straight from Brooklyn, outplaying the National League champions at every point. Groh, Kopf and Roush made nine of the visitors' eleven hits and scored all the runs. Toney kept the Brooklyn hits well scattered except in the fourth, when a pass, s steal and two singles prevented a shutout. Score:

RHE RHE Cincinnati.. 5 11 1 Brooklyn..., 2 9 2 Batteries—Toney and Wingo; Smith and Miller.

Philadelphia 3, St. Louis 5.

PHILADELPHIA, July 23 .- Philadel phia lost to St. Louis today when May-er was knocked off the rubber in the eighth inning, Smith, Miller and Hornsasked of him. The switch from the field to left possibly had something to do with his falling off in fielding last do with his falling off in fielding last also was unable to hold his opponents

Boston 3, Chicago 2.

Babe Borton and Paddy Siglin also BOSTON, July 23.—With two out and have been contributing their share of the bases full in the last of the thirthe base knocks of late. Ralph Pinelli teenth inning, Maranville took a chance is developing fast on third base and by the close of the campaign the young left field and scored the run that won Italian fielding star may graduate into for Boston over Chicago. It was the the dangerous hitter class. His willing- sixth consecutive Boston victory over

fense, and Mack doesn't seem to have strengthened much by releasing O'Brien and Wilson, Dilhoefer; Rudolph, Nehf and Tragresser.

> WHITE SOX TRIM RED SOX Chicago Now Has Substantial Lead

Over Boston Runners-up. CHICAGO, July 23.—Chicago in-creased its lead over Boston to 41/2 games by winning the final game of batters with a grand average of .415, the series. The visitors started their five of his 56 hits being triples and 13 of them two-baggers, besides one home run.

the series. The visitors started their invasion of the West one-half game in the lead, but lost 10 games, won six and tied one. Brilliant fielding behind Williams was a big factor in the Chi-

cago victory. Score: Boston.... 3 10 0 Chicago... 5 9 0
Batteries—Shore, Jones, Baber and
Thomas, Agnew; Williams, Cicotte and

TEAM MANAGERS WILL MEET

Commercial League Business Affairs to Be Closed Up Tonight.

time Sunday night informed Ralph that he did not show in the lists published there. James also received a telegram from the East with similar intelligence.

Other members of the Portland claim. The purpose of the meeting will be to return all forfeit money put up by the clubs at the beginning of the year. The official awarding of the pennant to the Northwest Steel Company nine also will take place.

Burman Outpoints Thompson.

RACINE, Wis., July 23 .- Joe Burman, of Chicago, outpointed George Thomp-son, of San Francisco, in a ten-round boxing contest tonight. They are bantamweights.

### Baseball Summary.

STANDINGS OF THE TEAMS.

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National League.
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New York . 52 27 .658 Chloage43 46 .48
Cincinnati 143 .043 Brookiyn 38 43 .46
St. Louis 47 40 .541 Boston 36 46 .43
Philadelphia 42 36 .538 Pittsburg 28 56 .33
American League.
Chicago 58 32 .645 Detroit 45 44 .50
Boston52 35 .598 Washington, 35 52 .40
Cleveland 49 42 .538 St. Louis 36 55 .39
New York 45 41 . 522 Philadelphia 32 51 . 38
American Association.
Indianapolis 59 35 .628 Columbus 45 43 .51
St. Paul 49 37 . 570 Minneapolis 37 52 .41
Louisville 53 43 . 552 Toledo 38 55 . 40
Kansas City. 46 39 .541 Milwaukee . 29 22 .35
Yesterday's Results.
American Association-At Kansas City
Columbus 4; at Minneapolis 13, Toledo 3; a
St. Paul 3, Indianapolis 5; at Milwaukee

Where the Teams Play Today. Pacific Const League—Portland, at Los Angeles; San Francisco, at Oakland; Vernon, at Salt Lake. Where the Teams Play Next Week,

Coast League-Portland, at Sar Los Angeles, at Salt Lake; Oakand, at Ver Beaver Batting Averages

AB. H. Av. Wille... 384 115 299 Siglin... 381 87 228 Williams. 404 120 297 Houck... 58 13 221 Griggs... 78 23 295 Fincher... 67 14 208 Borton... 327 94 287 Pinelli... 147 30 204 Hollocher 447 121 271 Baldwin... 58 9 155 Rodgers... 314 85 270 Brenton... 63 9 143 Farmer... 353 92 261 Penner... 62 7 113 Fisher... 239 55 230 James... 2 0 0000

Ferdinand Smith Defeats W.O.

HOUCK'S WORK EXCELLENT Fresno Gives Five Well-Known Ball- STEFFEN IS ALSO VICTOR

Athletic Club courts was the defeat of W. O. Daly by Ferdinand Smith, 10-8 6-2. The brand of tennis played by these two racket wielders was above

par and had the gallery on the anxious seat during the entire two sets. Paul Steffen, Portland Junior cham-pion, took Phil Neer, boy champion of the city, into camp only after the hard-est kind of work. Neer won the first set 8-6, but lost the next two, 2-6, 2-6. The driving serves of the winner proved too much for young Neer, but he showed his mettle and hung on at all times. Neer is a comer and should watched in the future, say tennis experts.

Miss M. Cooper beat Elizabeth Wig-gins in the women's singles, 1-6, 6-4, 6-4. The lobbing and driving of the winner had Miss Wiggins off her guard the last two sets. The results follow:

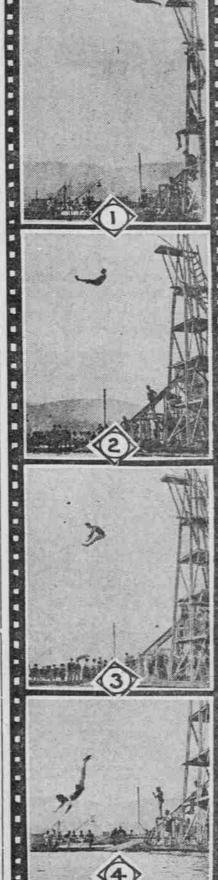
In the last two sets.

The results follow:

Mens' singles—I. L. Webster beat A. B. Balley, Jr., 6-1, 6-2; Walter Rosenfeld beat Harrison Platt, 7-5, 3-6, 6-4; W. S. Wheeler beat L. C. Wilson, 6-4, 6-1; Fred Smith beat W. O. Daly, 10-8, 6-2; M. T. Abel beat Jacks Neer, 6-3, 7-5; R. Kendall beat J. R. Prince, 7-5, 6-3; J. H. Mackie beat Dr. R. J. Chipman, 6-2, 6-3; C. C. Harrison beat R. Newhall, default; Olin Lewis beat H. H. Pearce, 9-7, 6-2; Harry Failing beat Brandt Wickersham default; J. W. Moore beat B. C. Condit, 6-0, 6-2; A. B. McAlpin beat Myron Wilsey, 6-2, 6-4; A. D. Waksman beat Deo Mallett, 6-2, 7-5; J. D. King beat Prescott Cookingham, 6-0, 6-3; S. B. Cooke beat Harry Westerman, 6-0, 6-3; A. R. Munger beat George Grey, 6-3, 6-4; J. F. Hosch beat J. W. Ladd, default; Walter A. Goss beat Milton Frohman, 6-1, 6-3; E. P. Steinmetz beat Stanley Fenton, 6-0, 9-7; Paul Steffen beat Phil Neer, 6-8, 6-3, 6-2;

Women's singles—Miss Lenora Stone beat Miss Mirlam Sinclair, 6-3, 7-5; Miss Irene Campbell beat Miss Harriet Johnson, 6-3, 6-4; Miss May McDonaid by default; Miss Madeline Steffen beat Miss Mildred Terry by default Mrs. W. I. Northup beat Miss C. Sta-

UNUSUAL PHOTOGRAPH OF LOUIS BALBACH BOING A ONE-AND-ONE-HALF RIGH DIVE.



Louis J. Balbach, Doing the One-and-One-Half From a 32-Foot High Dive at Windemuth's Baths. 1—Balbach Just Leaving the Top of Platform. 2— Starting the First Flip. 3-Almost Over for the Swan Effect. 4-Ready to Hit the Water.

Balbach is one of Portland's cleveres high and fancy divers. Louis, a mem ber of the Multnomah Amateur Athleti Club, has been attending Stanford Uni versity, where he was a member of the swimming team. Norman Ross, anoth-or member of the Winged M, was a teammate of Louis' while at school.

bler by default; Miss Inez Fairchild beat Miss Helen Haas by default; Miss Helen Hald beat Miss Marion Weiss, 6-3, 6-4; Miss Mabel Ryder beat Mrs. F. E. Harrigan by default.

AMERICAN BOXERS MEETING COOL RECEPTION IN AUSTRALIA.

Change Comes About With Entry of United States in War-League Extension Is Suggested.

Various reports received from Australia by sporting men are to the effect that since the United States entered into the world war the American pugliists who have been boxing in the Antipodes are not as popular as they were before this event. According to these accounts boxers like Jimmy Clabby and others are being looked upon more or less in the same light in which the late Les Darcy was considered over here. Darcy officially was designated as a slacker by the Governor of New York State and, largely for this reason, other communities fell in line and refused to permit the Australian to appear in any matches. It generally is believed here that the American pugllists will, from now on, meet with a cold reception and that their money-making days in Aus-tralia are over as long as the war

The long jump of Portland for one week of play has been a thorn in the side of the Pacific Coast Baseball side of the Pacific Coast Baseball League for a long time. A suggestion has been made by a sporting writer that with the closing of the Northwestern League the Seattle team could be taken into the league, thus giving the other teams in the Coast League a two weeks' stay in the north. To balance the league the further suggestion is the league the further suggestion is made that the Tacoma team be acquired by Sacramento, thus making an eight-team league for the remainder of the season. He then adds: "There would be no need of stopping

the Coast League race and starting over. Give the two new teams a per-centage of .500 to start with and rearange the schedule to sult the owners. Nearly 60 members of the Portland

Rowing Club have enlisted in the service of their country, which includes practically all of the organization's regular oarsmen.

### Bits of Shrapnel.

EVERY time one of Connie Mack's Athletics is late for practice or absent from practice he is fined \$5 for the first offense and \$10 if the offense is halem ball park yesterday afternoon. repeated. The fines will be given to 4 to 0. A big crowd was in attendance the Northwestern Hospital, of Phila-delphia, where there is a bed for disa-the excitement ran high, as Nehalem bled baseball players.

Nelson Norgren, last season's football oach of the University of Utah, has resigned and is looking for a coaching position in Southern California.

Jack Moran, prizefighter, has foined his support was weak. the aviation corps of the United States Army. Johnny Butler, shortstop for the Ta-oma Tigers in 1914 and 1915, is in

Arizona recovering from an attack of tuberculosis. Joe Cox, the man who knocked out Jess Willard, has been rejected from the Army, Navy and the Marines. Cox

is too big for any of these branches. Princeton seems bent on abandoning football for next season. The Army-Princeton game was called off by the Army, due to a recent order to the Army to elminate all plans for contests with outside teams.

Earl Baird, National amateur boxing champion at 125 pounds and a member of the Seattle Athletic Club, was sected in the draft. Earl has appeared in Portland many times, pitting his ability against the Winged M boxers.

Pitcher Miljus, recently purchased from the Binghamton State League by the Brooklyn Dodgers, has demanded bonus of \$500 before reporting, claimng that he is a free agent. Bet the inghamton State League hasn't got

Yale formally has canceled its var-sity football schedule. Hope is still felt at Yale for a freshman eleven.

Tono Coal Miners Win Again. CENTRALIA, Wash., July 23 .- (Special.)—The Tono coal miners defeated Pe Ell yesterday in a pitching duel be-tween McCorkle and Kotula. The former allowed but one hit and struck out 16 Both teams played errorless ball. The score:

R. H. E. R. H. E. Tono..... 2 5 0 Pe Ell..... 0 1 0

### What Ex-Coasters Did in the Majors Yesterday.

66 CHUCK" WARD, ex-Beaver, sin-Hal Chase went hitless and made an rror for the Reds.

Ivan Olson, ex-Beaver, singled and cored for Brooklyn. Jimmy Johnston played left for Brooklyn. The ex-Oak got a single, Cutshaw, ex-Oak, now with the Brooklyn Dodgers, blanked, "Dave" Bancroft, ex-Beaver, singled and booted two for the Phillies.

Cravath, ex-Angel, singled

or the Phillies. Wolter and Elliott failed as pinchitters for the Cubs. Harry Hooper made a single for the ed Sox and scored. Duffy Lewis got two hits for Boston.

"Buck" Weaver, ex-Seal, now a White Sox, singled and stole. "Chick" Gandill got a hit for the White Sox. "Swede" Risberg, ex-Vernon Tiger, singled in two trips to the plate for the White Sox.

M. Schaumasse, of the Nice (France) observatory, has discovered a new comet

Mutuel Machines Dismantled at Detroit Track.

TROT IS FEATURE

Early Dreams Takes Event After Five Heats-Fern Hal Wins 2:10 Pace-Royal Mac Is Not Pressed in 2:18 Trot.

DETROIT, Mich., July 23 .- For the

first time in the history of Grand Cir-

cuit racing here, a betless meeting was

started today. Police Comissioner

Couzens positively refused to allow speculation in any form, and sent out policemen to see that the mutuel machines were dismantled, and the auctioneers properly gagged. It was un-derstood around the old betting ring, however, that the betting methods of however, that the betting methods of former meetings would be in operation just outside the grounds tomorrow.

The principal event, the Ponchartrain stake for 2:14 trotters, proved the surprise of the day, going into five heats. Early Dreams won the first two heats comfortably, but was nosed out by Lu Princeton in the third. Cox landed Lu Princeton in front again in the fourth with less effort. In the fifth McDonald pushed Early Dreams out in front at the start, and held the lead all the way around, though Lu Princeton failed only by inches to ake the heat and

race. The 2:10 pace also went into five heats, Game of Chance breaking in the third, after winning the first two heats easily. Battle King took the lead when Game of Chance broke, and led to within 20 yards of the wire, where Fern Hal overhauled him. Fern Hal repeat-ed the performance in the fourth and fifth heats and won the race.

Royal Mac was easily the class of the field in the 2:18 trot and was never in

only by inches to ake the heat and

danger. The weather was ideal for racing and a record first-day crowd attended The time for the winners in the various events was: Pontchartrain state, Early Dreams, time 2:07½; 2:18 trot, Royal Mac, time 2:09 4.

TWO LAWYERS GOOD ANGLERS J. E. Craib and H. Montgomery Lure Trout From Nestucca.

Attorney James E. Craib and Attor

ceptions the trout were taken on small professor files, although a spinner was used with telling effect on the big warriors of the deep holes.

It was Hugh Montgomery's initiation as a trout fisherman. According to Jim

my McCraib, his companion comported himself with zealous determination to master the knack of dropping the fly where it would do the most good, and succeeded to the extent of a brimming creel. During the earlier lessons he sat down thrice in the racing current to rise dampened but undaunted.

WHEELER BLANKS NEHALEM, 4-0 Exciting Game Staged Sunday in Presence of Big Crowd.

from both bome towns of the clubs and the excitement ran high, as Nehalem expected to wrest the newly-won counchampionship from Wheeler. her favorite pitcher, Sidney Blanchard, who goes away this week with the Tillamook Coast Artillery, Nebalem was confident of victory. Blanchard pitched a splendid game, but

Red Cross Gets Baseball Money, CHICAGO, July 23 .- Charles A. Comiskey, president of the Chicago Amer-icans, made his fourth contribution to the American Red Cross today, presenting a check for \$3702.98. This makes total of \$10.763.71 he has given since the baseball season started, reging 10 per cent of the receipts.

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CHAIN INTACT SINCE 1881

Winner Will Hold Certificate, but Will Have No Claim on Titular Bowl, Which Has Been in

Competition Several Years.

Tennis Association to replace the championship singles tournament with a patriotic singles tourney brings about championship since 1881. While the patriotic tournament to be played at the West Side Club, Forest Hills, L. I. beginning August 20, is expected to draw the entry of a number of the leading Eastern and Western players, there will be no title or trophy at stake. The winner will receive a certificate stating that he has won the tourney, which, owing to the war, replaced the championship matches. The winner cannot, however, claim a leg upon the present titular bowl, which has been in competition for several years.

Under these conditions there is a break in the chain of singles championship competitions, the first in 36 years, and the string. Mrs. B. V. Straley yesterday told Circuit Judge Gatens in asking for a divorce from C. C. Straley. Her charges of cruelty went unchallenged and she received a decree.

Gladys McCurry not only obtained a divorce from Albert McCurry, but she was also allowed to change her sons name to Bretherton, her maiden name.

break in the chain of singles champion-ship competitions, the first in 36 years. During this period 14 players have won the title of singles champion. Of this number, two veteran racquet experts divided 14 years between them —R. D. Sears and W. A. Larned having won the title seven times each. Sears holds the greater share of the honors, however, as he won his seven cham-pionships and two titular trophies in

WASHINGTON, July 23.—In preparation for a second liberty loan campaign in the Fall, the woman's liberty loan committee today announced a partial reorganization and plans "to bring home to every woman the financial advantages and patriotic duty of investment in Government bonds."

Nashington, July 23.—In preparation two titular trophies in succession. His record shows that he captured the cup each session from 1881 to 1887 inclusive, while Larned, after winning in 1901-2 did not reappear as champion until 1907, when he began a champion until 1907, when he began

State chairmen have been appointed in 33 states. Among them are: California, Mrs. Joseph B. Banning, Los Maurice E. McLoughlin and R. N. Willangeles; Idaho, Mrs. Teresa Graham, Coeur d'Alene; Iowa, Mrš. Wilbur Marsh, Waterloe; Nevada, Mrs. Samuel J. Clothier, H. Ward and W. H. Johnstone and Mrs. Teresa Graham, Coeur d'Alene; Iowa, Mrš. Wilbur Marsh, Waterloe; Nevada, Mrs. Samuel stone appear as one-year champions. For the third time in his baseball career Johnny Evers has shifted his club uniform, and his efforts with the

Philadelphia Nationals will be followed

ball player, Evers has had a remarkable and spectacular record upon the diamond. Noted for both his quick thinking and flery temperament, he has figured in some of the most sensational of the national game episodes.

Evers made his baseball debut with the Troy club of the New York State League in 1902, playing shortstop. The following year found him at second hase for the Chicago Nationals, and he held down the keystone sack for the

viewed from the standpoint of the base-ball player, Evers has had a remarkable

eague. During this lengthy

hald down the keystone sack for the Cubs until 1914, when he joined the Boston Braves. Now he has moved on to the Phillies, where it is expected that he will strengthen second base. Some idea of Evers' ability can be gained from the fact that up to the close of the 1916 season he had played in ose of the 1916 season he had played in 1,753 games, with a resultant grand batting average of .238 and a fielding percentage of .813.

Having won the Western amateur golf championship, Francis Ouimet is in the peculiar position of holding the amateur title of a sectional association while barred from amateur competition. by the National Golf Association. This NEW YORK, July 23.—The final and efinite decision of the National Lawn hardly be said to be the gainer thereby.

the first break in the national tennis SEVERAL OBTAIN DIVORCES One Decree Carries Permission to

> Change Name of Son. "He has another girl on the string,"

divorce from Albert McCurry, but she was also allowed to change her son's name to Bretherton, her maiden name. She told the court that she did not even want her son to bear the same name as his father because of his cruel father because of his cruel

treatment. Other divorces granted yesterday by Judge Gatens follow: Theresa Fleck from Augustus Fleck, cruelty; Etta

from ri. J. Harding, desertion.

Cruelty is the charge contained in the divorce complaint filed yesterday George Schmidt against Jennet

Schmidt. Sarah Howe accuses W. H. Howe with deserting her after they had lived together for more than 20 years. She wants a decree.

Hollweg Goes to Estate. BERLIN, via London, July 23 .- Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the former

